

***Examiner's amendment***

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Edward J. Wise on Dec. 26 2004.

Claims 9, 10, 13, 14, and 17 has been amended as follows:

9. (Currently Amended) An image formation apparatus comprising:

an input unit entering image data,

a printer unit printing image data,

a memory storing trigger information to initiate execution of a plurality of control operations and said control operations in correspondence,

a detector detecting additional information including said trigger information from said image data, and

a controller responsive to detection of said trigger information to execute said control operations corresponding to said trigger information stored in said memory,

wherein one of said control operations includes a transmission operation transmitting print information related to printing of said image data to a destination.

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10. (Currently Amended) The image formation apparatus according to claim 9, further comprising an operation unit setting said trigger information and said control operations in correspondence.

13. (Currently Amended) The image formation apparatus according to claim 9, wherein said control operations includes a print operation printing out said image data according to a predetermined print condition.

14. (Currently Amended) The image formation apparatus according to claim 9, wherein said control operations includes an image processing operation processing said image data according to a predetermined image processing condition.

17. (Currently Amended) An image recording apparatus comprising:  
an input unit entering image data,  
a record unit recording input image data on a recording medium,  
a detector detecting additional information from said image data, said additional information including trigger information to initiate execution of a plurality of predetermined control operations, and

a controller executing said predetermined control operations in response to detection of said trigger information,

wherein one of said predetermined control operations includes a transmission operation transmitting information related to recording of said image data to a destination.

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